

“FENDING OFF KILLER LIES WITH _____”
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Killer Lies

And Biblical Truths to Fend Them Off



The Killer Lie of “Gender Self-determination/My Identity – My Right”

WE CAN FEND OF THESE LIES WITH BIBLICAL _____ ???

What posture should our hands have?

Finger-pointing? Laying Out Logic? Open-handed _____?



FOUNDATIONAL TRUTH (Genesis 1:27)

WITNESS OF THE LAW (Leviticus 18:22-23, 20:13; Deuteronomy 22:5)

WITNESS OF THE NEW TESTAMENT (1 Timothy 1:8-9a, 9b-11; 1 Corinthians 6:9-10)

WITNESS OF BIBLICAL LOGIC

Is Jesus Christ your Lord & Savior?

Did Jesus affirm the OT & NT?

Does the Bible teach God created humans male and female?
Does Jesus affirm this?

Does the Bible teach sex outside of the marriage between a man and a woman is wrong? Including homosexual behavior?

Is there evidence that the Bible is talking about certain “kinds” of homosexual behavior OR that the teachings were only for certain times or places?

Does the Bible celebrate those who used to practice sexual immorality, including homosexual behavior, but were washed, sanctified, and justified in the name of the Lord Jesus? (2 Corinthians 6:11)

WITNESS OF ROMANS (Romans 1:24-32, 2:4-8)

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For those with gender confusion: *“Thank You, Lord, for forming me in my mother’s womb to be just who you wanted me to be, whether male or female. Help me with humility remember that You are God, and I am not.”*

For those reaching out to those confused (1 Timothy 1:15)

(Ecclesiastes 5:1-2)

If we expect people, who are not forgiven, nor justified through Christ’s work, that is, still under God’s wrath, spiritually dead, and without the help of the indwelling Holy Spirit,

to live righteously, we have denied the Gospel.

“Dead people cannot LIVE righteously.”

“Good” dead people are not “good enough” either.

There are really on two “identities.”

Sinners still under God’s wrath. Forgiven sinners.

When we exalt our own self-goodness, are we not false teachers to our kids and grandkids?

“We cannot be forgiven if we do not confess our sins.”

Our desire to “start fresh,” where no one knows about our past, is a yearning to be identified as “a good person.”

But to stay where people know our past is an opportunity to be identified as a forgiven sinner who exalts in their Savior.

NEXT WEEK: FENDING OFF KILLER LIES WITH GRACE – Key Texts = James 1:19-21; Ephesians 4:31-32; Psalm 73